



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of:) FILTER FOR REMOVING CONTAMI-
) NANTS FROM WATER AND METHOD
TOSHIO MATSUMURA ET AL) OF FORMING THE FILTER
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Ser. No.: 09/594,324) Examiner I. Cintins
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Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231
Sir:

Applicant, by his attorney, petitions for an extension of time to file the response within the first month. Enclosed is the processing fee of \$110.00.

Respectfully submitted,


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